IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Patent Application of

MITCHELL, David

Atty. Ref.: 181-149

Serial No. 10/721,085

Group: (unknown)

Filed: November 26, 2003

Examiner: (unknown)

For: A FILLING APPARATUS

* * * * * * * * * * * *

December 18, 2003

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

As suggested by 37 C.F.R. 1.97, the undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the prior art information discussed in the application and the reference listed on the attached form PTO-1449, a copy of which is enclosed. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no better prior art exists, or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO-1449 and to return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the attached reference has been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

By:

Duane M. Byers Reg. No. 33,363

DMB:lfo

1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor

Arlington, VA 22201-4714 Telephone: (703) 816-4000 Facsimile: (703) 816-4100

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION		ATTY. DOCKET	r NO.	SERIAL NO.	-		
		181-149		10/721,085	10/721,085		
		APPLICANT					
		MITCHELI	L, David				
	several sheets if necessary)	FILING DATE	·	GROUP			-
(<u>'ti</u>		November 26, 2003		(unknown)	(unknown)		
EC 1 8 2003 H				(**************************************			
, AU		U.S. PA	TENT DOCUMENTS				
EXAMINED INITIAS*	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING IF APPR	DATE OPRIAT
RADEM							
					<u> </u>		
	•						
						(8)	
•							
		FOREIGN F	PATENT DOCUMENT	S			
	DOCUMENT	DATE COUNTRY			TRANSLATION CLASS SUBCLASS YES NO		
			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
	OTHER DOCUM	ENTS (including	g Author, Title, Date,	Pertinent pages, et	c.)		
	www.vacula.com, Brake	Service Hyperlink					
						···	
				-			
*Examiner			Date Conside				

Sheet

of